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GRAND  
PRESIDENT'S  
MESSAGE



*Imogene Piper*

With the dawning of the New Year, may we enter with refreshed spirits and understanding hearts, resolving to make this another beneficial and successful year for each one of us individually, and for each of our chapters and the Grand Council.

A look into the not to distant future and you will remember our Biennial Convention in Seattle, Washington, July 27-31, 1958. Chi chapters have been enthusiastically planning for this occasion and you will not want to miss it.

My sincerest wish to all is the best in happiness and health and may God be with you throughout this year as you appreciate the beauties of the World and the joys of friendship.

*Fraternally,*  
Imogene Piper  
Grand President  
Lambda Kappa Sigma

## Lambda Kappa Sigma

### Midwestern Regional Meeting

#### Big Rapids, Michigan



The Midwestern Regional Meeting was held October 25-27, 1957, at Ferris Institute in Big Rapids, Michigan with Alpha Iota as the hostess chapter.

After registration was completed on Friday evening, October 25, an opening dinner was held in Masselink Commons. Mr. Clark Anderson, Professor of Pharmacy at Ferris Institute, gave an interesting and enlightening speech entitled "The Road Ahead." As the final entertainment of the evening, the Alpha Iotas presented a very clever original skit, which they later told us had won them third place in Ferris' "Campus Capers."

On Saturday morning October 26, Dr. Edward Claus, Dean of Pharmacy at Ferris, addressed the group briefly, giving us some interesting information about the school. After this a business meeting was held with our National President, Imogene Piper, presiding. Other national officers present at this Regional Meeting were Julia Pishalski, our Grand Secretary; Ethel Herdlicka, Grand Treasurer; Harriet Lescauski, Member-at-Large; and Mildred Hull, Midwestern Regional Supervisor. The various chapters reported on their activities at this time, and problems were discussed.

After the meeting was adjourned, everyone changed to their warmest clothes and left for Hardy Dam, where a weiner roast was held. A wonderful time was had by all, eating hot dogs, potato chips, and roasting marshmallows, even though the weather was a bit nippy. A tour of the campus was conducted upon our return to Big Rapids.

Saturday evening our hostesses treated us to a delicious country-style fried chicken dinner at the Paris Wildlife Restaurant in nearby Paris, Michigan.

A coffee hour was held in the Science Building on Sunday morning, with lots of coffee and doughnuts being served by Phi Delta Chi, Alpha Iota's brother fraternity.

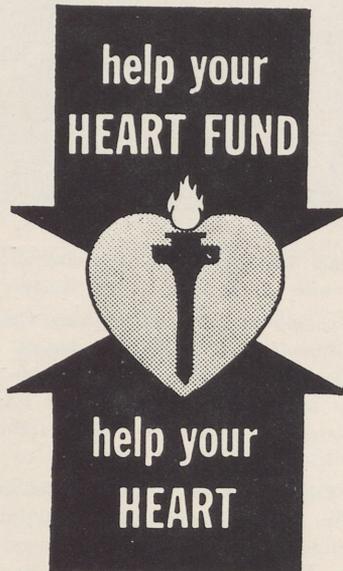
After a short business meeting, a group picture was taken. This was the conclusion of our Midwestern Regional Meeting.

The chapters represented at this meeting were Gamma Collegiate, Gamma Alumnae, Omicron Alumnae, Phi Alumnae, Nu Collegiate, Alpha Delta Collegiate, and Alpha Iota Collegiate.

The Alpha Iotas are to be congratulated on their thorough planning of a successful regional meeting, especially since they have no Alumnae chapter to help them over the rough spots. Everyone agreed it was a most profitable and enjoyable weekend.

Mildred E. Hull

*Midwestern Regional Supervisor*



## Award Dinner

The Philadelphia Area Professional Panhellenic Association's Certificate of Merit for Professional Achievement for 1957 was awarded to Miss Vera A. Gerhart, Phi Gamma Nu, former National President of the Professional Panhellenic Association. The presentation was made by Mrs. Virginia Osol, Lambda Kappa Sigma, President of the local P.P.A., at a dinner held at the Penn-Sherwood Hotel on Tuesday, October 29, 1957.

Dr. Eleanor Boll, Assistant Professor of Sociology at the University of Pennsylvania, gave the address of the evening, speaking on the subject "The American Family Today."

The Mu Phi Epsilon Trio provided music for the occasion.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. Eby were guests that evening. Dr. Eby, Kappa Psi, is IRAC Chairman and President-elect of the Professional Interfraternity Conference.

Lambda Kappa Sigma was well represented at the affair by members from all three Philadelphia chapters, as well as by Miss Amelia C. De Dominicis, Grand Editor, who came from Baltimore to attend the dinner and ceremony.



*From left to right; Dr. Eleanor Boll, Mrs. Virginia Osol, Miss Vera Gerhart, Dr. Helen Martin*

## Professional Panhellenic Association

The Eighteenth Biennial Convention of the Professional Panhellenic Association was held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, on November 1, 2, and 3, 1957.

Sixteen of the seventeen official representatives of the fraternities were present. The various professions being: Pharmacy, Education, Law, Commerce, Physical Education, Music, Nursing, Medical Technology, Journalism, Speech Arts, Music and Speech, Commerce and Business Administration. It was an honor to be able to meet with these professional women and to share ideas and discuss problems.

Lambda Kappa Sigma was represented by Imogene Piper, official representative, Julia Pishalski, Harriet Lescauski, Ethel Herdlicka, and Ursula Biermacher.

The opening business meeting on Friday morning, November 1, was concerned with general business and presentation of the new Professional Panhellenic Handbooks. The address of the morning was given by Dr. Vashti Burr Whittington, Phi Delta Delta, Law Fraternity, on the "Background and History of PPA."

The welcome luncheon was held in the Yacht Club and provided a get-acquainted period and a chance for committees to meet together.

The afternoon business meeting concerned committee reports and a very interesting discussion on Fraternity Finance.

The Interfraternity Dinner was held in the Michigan Room, Friday night. The address, "The Force of Public Relations on Professional Fraternities," was presented by Adelor J. Petit, Jr., Phi Delta Phi, Vice President, Professional Interfraternity Conference.

On Saturday morning, at the business meeting, I was very pleased to participate in a panel discussion, "The Alumnae Problem", how alumnae chapters are formed, how to keep an active interest and how to keep in touch with alumnae-at-large.

The Chicago Council luncheon was in the Sheridan Room at noon on Saturday, which was another time to become better acquainted.

The business meeting Saturday afternoon concerned discussions of City Panhellenics and Campus Panhellenics. The election of officers was held and they are:

*President:* Mrs. Betty Hinckle Dunn, Theta Sigma Phi

*Vice President:* Miss Virginia M. Croon, Epsilon Eta Phi

*Secretary:* Mrs. Ordry Palmer Ray, Phi Chi Theta

*Treasurer:* Mrs. Bertha R. Lane, Kappa Beta Pi

*Members at Large:* Dr. Marie Marti, Delta Omicron; Miss Vera A. Gerhart, Phi Gamma Nu; Mrs. Marjorie Coghill, Kappa Epsilon

*Honorary Advisers:* Miss Beulah A. Harriss, Delta Psi Kappa; Mrs. Carrie Walter Adams, Kappa Delta Epsilon; Dr. Vashti B. Whittington, Phi Delta Delta.

Members of Lambda Kappa Sigma on committees: Mrs. Ruth D. Flaherty, Rules; Miss Imogene Piper, Professional Activities; Miss Amelia C. DeDominicis, Finance; Miss Harriet Lescauski, Public Relations.

Being your representative at this meeting was of great benefit to me and an enlightening experience which I highly value.

Imogene Piper  
Grand President  
Lambda Kappa Sigma

## Lambda Kappa Sigma

### Western Regional Meeting

#### Portland, Oregon

The sixth Western Regional Meeting of Lambda Kappa Sigma was held at the Heathman Hotel in Portland, Oregon, November 23 and 24, 1957. Rho Collegiate acted as hostess with the aid of Ruth Crommie of Rho Alumnae.

Margit Harrison, Grand Vice President, presided at the meeting, and Pat Tanac, Western Regional Supervisor, acted as secretary.

During registration the Sisters from Rho greeted us with interesting name tags and programs. A luncheon followed.

At 1:00 p.m. the first business meeting was held. Greetings from the Grand Officers and various chapters were read. Reports from Chi Alumnae, Chi Collegiate and Rho Collegiate were given with discussion following each report.

Nan Steele of Rho Collegiate reviewed the pledge handbook in preparation for a discussion concerning possible revisions. The Collegiate chapters feel the need for a general outline to follow during pledging.

Margit Harrison reviewed our brochure. The group deemed revisions or additions unnecessary.

The various cards used for our records were re-examined, as was the Blue and Gold Endowment Fund.

A ritual to pay tribute to our Founders and Past Presidents was discussed.

The most pressing problem presented at the meeting was the need for more vocational guidance in the high schools, pertaining to Pharmacy in particular. Following this discussion the meeting was adjourned until 6:00 P.M.

Arlene Cattanach President of Rho Collegiate acted as toastmistress at the banquet.

Pat Tanac thanked Rho chapter for their hospitality and efforts.

Margit Harrison expressed appreciation to Rho Chapter for their interest in planning the meeting and she reminded us of our duties to the profession through Lambda Kappa Sigma.

Following dinner Chi Chapters performed the Founders' Day Ritual, after which two soloists entertained.

Sunday morning we met for brunch at 10:30, where Arlene expressed the gratitude of Rho Chapter for our attendance and wished us a pleasant journey home.

We were pleased to see many members of Rho Alumnae present.

The true value of the meeting cannot be put into words, but the receptive attitude toward the discussions and exchange of ideas assured us of the importance of Lambda Kappa Sigma.

Pat Tanac  
Western Regional Supervisor

## Sisters – Around The World

By

VIRGINIA L. OSOL

### ETA ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Lambda Kappa Sigma recently became an international organization with the addition of Alpha Iota to our roster.

One of the most pleasant aspects of being international was brought home to me when my husband and I traveled in Europe and the Near East and were entertained in both Athens and Istanbul by Lambda sisters.

We flew from Belgrade to Athens, where we arrived just at dusk. Our Yugoslav pilot thoughtfully circled twice so all could see the beauty of this remarkable city, with its many and multi-colored lights twinkling like millions of iridescent fire-flies. It was indeed a superb sight and one long to be remembered.

Upon our arrival at the airport we were met by Dr. Nina Sideri, who is an active member of Eta Alumnae Chapter. Dr. Sideri was born in Greece and is a graduate of the University of Athens. Later she came to the United States and received her doctorate from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science. She had returned to her homeland for the summer and our principal reason for visiting Athens at this particular time was to be there with her.

Our stay was limited to five days, hardly enough to see more than a tiny part of the "glory that was Greece," but that part was truly magnificent. The Acropolis, crowned by its majestic Parthenon, the soaring beauty of the Corinthian columns of the Temple of Zeus, the golden fragment of Emperor Hadrian's Arch, the flat rock on Mars Hill where the apostle Paul preached, and the theatre of Dionysos nestled in the slope of the Acropolis were all visited and helped re-create for us the golden age of this wondrous city.

Modern Athens, too, has much to interest the tourist: its classically beautiful University, its richly ornamented Cathedral, the Benaki Museum, its many fine government buildings, the Royal Palace guarded by picturesque Eyzone soldiers wearing white starched ballet-like skirts, blue jackets and red tasselled shoes, a gigantic Olympic stadium, famed Constitution Square, and nearby the cooling seaside and refreshing mountains.

We had met Nina's brother, Commander Elladios Sideris, and his charming wife on a previous trip to Europe when we were all in Italy. It was a happy privilege to see them again and to meet their two handsome boys. The Commander generously allowed us to use his car and chauffeur for our sightseeing, and it made us feel very important, especially within the restricted area of the Naval Base, when sentries upon seeing the car came smartly to attention, not realizing they were saluting a couple of American tourists and not the Commander.

Nina, her family and friends were graciously hospitable and we had a glorious visit which all too soon came to an end. Hoping that we might again have the opportunity of sojourning in Athens we flew on to Istanbul, where we were met by Mrs. Nevhiz Pak and Dr. Nur Evcim. Mrs. Pak and Dr. Evcim had been graduate students at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science and it was during this time that Nevhiz had become a member of L.K.S.

In order to have us see as much as possible of Istanbul in three days our friends had planned a really full schedule, even providing us with a professional guide and car with chauffeur.

After checking in at the Istanbul-Hilton (where they have an unusual and delightful custom of giving each new arrival a complimentary "Welcome" cocktail) we were whisked away to a lovely restaurant overlooking the Golden Horn for luncheon, then for a two-hour ferry boat ride up the Bosphorus to the mouth of the Black Sea. This ride was all the more enjoyable because Dr. Evcim had somehow persuaded the captain to allow us to sit in the pilot house for the scenic journey. We returned by automobile along the European side of the Bosphorus, stopping en route for tea in a garden cafe. Here we were joined by Dr. Evcim's parents and Dr. Pak, the husband of Nevhiz. Mrs. Evcim spoke Turkish and a little French, Mr. Evcim and Dr. Pak only Turkish, we only English with a smattering of French, and of course, Nevhiz and Nur spoke both English and Turkish. Despite this linguistic hodge-podge we had a very enjoyable evening, returning to our hotel after midnight — tired but happy.

During the next two days we saw three of Istanbul's most famous mosques: the exquisitely beautiful Blue Mosque, the overwhelming St. Sofia's, and the Mosque of Suleiman the Magnificent where we were privileged to attend a Moslem service ably translated into English by our guide. The entire service was interesting, but I was particularly impressed by the preparation for prayer. All Moslems must pray to Allah five times a day, washing their hands and feet before each praying. They kneel facing the east, and with palms outward brush their hands lightly against the side of their head. This is to signify they are brushing away the cares of the world and are ready to listen to God.

We roamed the native Bazaar, utterly fascinated by its four thousand tiny shops aglow with all the color and splendor of the east; saw brilliant native dances; toured palaces and museums; visited the University of Istanbul and generally reveled in the sights of this exotic city.

Our last full day in Istanbul we visited the home of Nevhiz's parents on the Asiatic side of the Bosphorus. Her father, a former professor at the University, owns a pharmaceutical plant which Nevhiz operates.

Both her parents were most cordial and made us feel very welcome, despite the fact we were unable to understand one another.

As honored guests we alone were served small cups of thick Turkish coffee. Other members of the family and friends also came to greet us and after a time we all went to the large dining room where the table was literally covered with all manner of Turkish delights. With this was served a fruit punch and although we had not fully recovered from a luncheon of Shashlik and *seven* Turkish desserts we managed to nibble quite a few of these culinary masterpieces.

Nur's family owned a motor launch and it had been decided that we would go by it to Prince Island for dinner.

To get to the launch, which was anchored amidstream, one had to transfer from the dock via a small rowboat. I was the first passenger and the trip from dock to rowboat was negotiated successfully but as I tried stepping from the rowboat to the launch, one or the other zigged when it should have zagged (or could it have been those seven desserts) and I suddenly found myself in the Sea of Marmara. Fortunately, Nur and the boat pilot still had a tight grip on my arms and after some maneuvering I was ignominiously hauled aboard, dripping sea water from the waist down. When they reached the boat our friends gathered around, wrapping me in dry towels and anxiously inquiring if I was hurt. I wasn't, except for a scraped knee and a few bruises, but certainly my pride was deeply wounded! I must admit that I was enormously relieved upon reaching Prince Island to find that the launch tied directly to the dock and one stepped onto solid ground and not a bobbing rowboat.

The next morning our friends drove us to the airport and as we reluctantly boarded our plane for the trip back to Belgrade, we murmured a small prayer that Allah would be gracious and someday bring us back to Istanbul.

Official Sorority Song selected at the Eleventh Biennial Convention held in Indianapolis, June 1950:

*Lambda Kappa Sigma Girls are we  
To thee we give our very best;  
In the face of joys and sorrow we'll be true,  
To our dear old colors: Gold and Blue  
You have set the pace for us we know  
And we will strive to follow through;  
Fortune and fame we hope you'll gain  
And loyal to you we will remain.*

*Tune: "A Street Where Old Friends Meet"  
Words by Joan K. Shankel — Delta Chapter*

# The Fourth Pan American Congress of Pharmacy and Biochemistry

by

**Dr. B. Olive Cole**

**Professor Emeritus, University of Maryland, School of Pharmacy**

The largest international meeting of pharmacists ever held in the United States, the Fourth Pan American Congress of Pharmacy and Biochemistry, in which representatives from twenty-two nations of the Western Hemisphere collectively designated as America — and representatives from sixteen European and other countries participated, was held at the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C., November 3 to 9, 1957, with nearly 1200 in attendance.

The Congress provided a medium for the mutual interchange of scientific, professional, and educational concepts and a basis for the development of a brotherhood in Pan American Pharmacy.

Amid a sea of head phones and earnestly gesticulating pharmacists from thirty-two nations, communication via the spoken word was amazingly well achieved. During the formal professional and scientific sessions, translations were expertly handled by highly competent linguists. As the speakers delivered their addresses, translations in English, Spanish, French and Portuguese were simultaneously broadcast to the portable receivers which could be tuned to the channel carrying the language desired.

Four plenary sessions were held during the week, the speakers at these sessions representing the Chief of the Food and Drug Directorate of Canada; Chief, Pharmaceutical Section of the World Health Organization, Geneva; Medical Director, Food and Drug Administration, Washington.

Addresses concerning pharmaceutical education were given by a representative from Caracas, Venezuela; a representative from San Jose, Costa Rica; and Dr. Hewitt of Storrs, Connecticut.

Addresses dealing with Pharmaceutical Industry were delivered by representatives from Abbott Laboratories, Chicago; Laboratories Farquinal, Mexico City; and the Lilly Research Laboratories, Indianapolis.

At the closing session, the Chief, Division of International Health, United States Public Health Service, spoke on "Health in the World Today."

Some three hundred papers were presented at the sessions of the twelve sections of the Congress by authors from twenty-seven countries.

Georgianna Simmons Gittinger of Baltimore presented a paper in the Historical Section, "A Bibliography of History of Pharmacy in Latin America." B. Olive Cole presented a paper on "Pharmaceutical Education in Maryland" in the same section.

Entertainment included a well-balanced program by the National Symphony Orchestra on Sunday evening and a brilliant reception and buffet supper on Tuesday evening, both affairs at the Pan American Union Building.

Guided sight-seeing tours around the Nation's Capital were provided, including visits to several Embassies, to American Institute of Pharmacy, the Capitol, Smithsonian Institution, Voice of America and other points of interest.

The official banquet on Friday evening was a dignified affair in the Grand Ball Room of the Hotel Mayflower, followed by an entertainment consisting of vocal, instrumental music and dances.

Mrs. Robert P. Fischelis was Chairman of the Ladies' Committee of Entertainment, which included a Luncheon and Fashion Show at the Hotel Shoreham.

The outstanding success of the Fourth Pan American Congress was due in large part to the excellent over-all planning and the tremendous amount of energy expended by Dr. Robert A. Hardt, Chairman and Mr. George B. Griffenhagen, Secretary.

## Kappa Epsilon Breakfast

Washington, D.C. — Two hundred women pharmacists — three-fourths of them from various Latin American countries assembled together for a breakfast given by Kappa Epsilon, national fraternity for women in pharmacy.

The event was held in connection with the Fourth Pan-American Congress on Pharmacy and Bio-Chemistry in session November 3-9, 1957 at the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D.C.

Because of the large number of women pharmacists in Central and South America, the occasion was the largest gathering of women in this field ever held in the United States.

The guest speaker was Mrs. Elisabeth Shirley Enochs, who is with the Department of Health, Education and Welfare as Chief of the International Technical Missions in the Office of the Commissioner of Social Security. Mrs. Enochs, who has traveled extensively in Latin America, talked on "The Professional Women in Health and Welfare."

Mrs. W. Manfred Jacobsen of Minneapolis, National Kappa Epsilon President, officiated at the breakfast and her predecessor, Mrs. Robert D. Coghill, of Bethesda, Maryland, introduced the speaker. Mrs. Gloria Francke, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, was Chairman of the event.

Dr. Esther J. W. Hall  
*Publicity, Kappa Epsilon*



*Miss Louise Pope, Iota and Epsilon Alumnae Chapter and Dr. B. Olive Cole, Epsilon Alumnae Chapter, two members of Lambda Kappa Sigma who attended breakfast.*

## CHAPTER REPORTS

### DELTA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hi Lambs:*

We recently held our fall semester rushing for upperclass women combined with our get acquainted party for the freshmen. Four new pledges, Carole Finelli, Regina Zeolla, Patricia Neal and Marlene Bugas, were received into Delta Chapter. In conjunction with this party, we held our Founders' Day Ceremony.

The Pharmacy I.F.C. is entertaining the idea of a Pharmacy School Talent Show in which Lambda Kappa Sigma will have a big part in both stage and backstage work. We're looking forward to the fun we'll have working with the other fraternities and our classmates.

Alpha Zeta Omega fraternity is sponsoring a Pharmacy Forum. L. K. S. will submit a paper to the contest; the subject has not been decided. Parents and friends will be invited.

Four of our sisters have become big sisters to groups of freshmen men and women whom they meet with once a week. It is a newly initiated plan in cooperation with the Counseling Service at the University of Pittsburgh. The purpose is to familiarize the student with Pitt and with Pharmacy School. It has proved quite successful thus far and the girls enjoy meeting with the Plebes of Pharmacy.

Another semester has come to a close and we're on another step of the ladder. Best of luck to all the Lambs who are trying for the top. See you in the next issue.

*Terry Krautheim*

### LAMBDA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hi everyone!*

We have been pretty busy this Fall, but nothing like this to keep us alive! As their first project, the enthusiast pledges organized a Bake Sale in November; their success was so flattering that we will try to have a Bake Sale every month from now on!

The big hit of this Fall was the Abbott-Lilly Trip enjoyed by a hundred Pharmacy students. Most of our members participated to this 10 days "Wonders Tour." We have not yet been shown all the slides of this "Enchanting Journey," but the first ones were a good sample of the pleasure everyone had.

The fellows were quite impressed recently when the girls arrived a Monday morning all dressed up, professional like. So we thought it would be a good idea to repeat this once a month. It reminds our colleagues that Pharmacy girls can be very attractive!

And now the Lambdas are proving their artistic talent by decorating for the Pharmacy Dance.

We hope you are all good little bees! Bye and Happy Winter from the sunny S.C.!

*Micheline Filiatrault*

### OMICRON COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hello There:*

Greetings from Omicron Chapter at Wayne University, where the future Pharmacists are beginning a new year. The sorors here are now rapidly approaching finals and are busy preparing for the last few "Exams" of this semester's courses.

Our rushing season was initiated with the rush tea on November 24 followed by pledging on December 15 at Phyllis Boyers' home. A very impressive pledge ceremony was followed by a Get-Acquainted Spaghetti dinner.

We are happy to report a total of six new little sisters: Podophyllum — Gina DiLabio; Asafetida — Joan Grubbs; Phytolacca — Sylvia Romanduck; Sarsaparilla — Phyllis Newman; Ipomea — Dorothy Clark; and Cochineal — Jean Shibita.

Good bye now and lots of luck in all your activities this year!

*Asafetida*

## PI COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

### *Greetings Sorors!*

Busy, busy fall time! Two night meetings were held with guest speakers — one, a member of our faculty, spoke on Hospital Pharmacy, a subject dear to most of our girls' hearts.

We were honored with three pledges who are now sisters. As part of their duties, they participated in a party given at a local orphanage by our I.F.C., ran a successful cake sale, helped in a display — "Women in Pharmacy" — in competition against other school organizations, and proved to be superb cuisiniers, preparing a delicious spaghetti dinner for the sorors. The pledges, Carol Houghton, Elaine Scheitelman, and Gail Somers were inducted January 12 at a dinner held in a nearby restaurant with a ceremony made highly impressive by our new ceremonial robes. (Thanks to our President and Recording Secretary and their parents) — And welcome new sisters.



*Members of Pi Collegiate Chapter with new initiates*

A successful cake sale was held by all members earlier in the fall. Our I.F.C. competition display, the only feminine one in the contest, used women's black silhouettes against a pink background. So well liked, it has the future prospect of being displayed in three high schools. Our appreciation to Alpha Alpha chapter and to Mrs. Wilson for their help in making this display successful.

Many sorors participated in the school's annual Christmas Show, (which was directed by one of our girls) helping to make it a big success — dancing, pantomime, singing, and a complete surprise — "This is Your Life" of one of our members.

Our Dinner-Dance was held on January 19, cocktails before and coffee afterwards at the president's home. Twenty-four attended.

Congratulations, Marilyn Shamy on your engagement. Happiness to you and Joe!

Thanks to all chapters for your Christmas cards, especially the beautiful hand-made ones like that from Chi chapter — only a promise of what they can and will do for the convention in July.

See you then —

*Constance Marco*

## CHI COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

### *New Year's Greetings from Chi Chapter:*

Two rushing parties were held autumn quarter; and a final party, which was a bowling party, was held in the Student Union Building on the University of Washington campus. Pledging took place the end of January, and initiation will take place the last week of February.

Gloria Funke, our delegate to the Western Regional Convention, sponsored by Rho chapter and held in Portland, reported that she enjoyed meeting the sisters from other chapters and had a very rewarding trip.

Our candy sales in the labs have been very good this year. Often we run out before the end of the week. Apparently many of our pharmacy students have a sweet tooth!

Chi actives are working with Chi Alumnae Chapter in planning the Fifteenth Biennial Convention to be held at the Hotel Benjamin Franklin this summer here in Seattle. We are planning an especially interesting convention this year, and will be looking forward to seeing many of you there.

*Ann Massie*

## ALPHA GAMMA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

### *Greetings from the Heart of Dixie!*

We finally made the move to our new campus on Lakeshore Drive in September. It's just beautiful with the old Georgian architecture on the outside of the buildings and modern furnishings on the inside. Our labs are even pretty. The landscaping is almost over and we can now hear the professors instead of the bulldozers. We are also proud of our sidewalks, grass and trees which we did not have in September.

We lost our chapter room in the move, but we hope to get one when the fine arts building is completed in May.

With the opening of a new semester, we have many new girls in pharmacy. In October we held our annual Coke party for all the new girls in pharmacy. All the pharmacy faculty were present except our new dispensing professor, Mr. Martin L. Robinette, who was ill with the flu.

We are also proud to have one of our Lambda Kappa Sigma sisters, Nita Horton, back with us teaching in the pharmacy department. She received her masters degree last year from University of Alabama, where she is now working on her Ph.D. She is also our new chapter sponsor.

We have pledged four girls this semester and are hoping several others will be eligible to pledge in February.

During the past months we've been attending the weddings of last year's grads. Jane Segars and Ed Landers were married in June, Ruby Reynolds and Gordon Price were married in July, and Bettye Whittington and John Urquhart were married in December. Our other graduate from last year, Irene Webster, was already married.

Our president Ann Hall received her diamond this summer from Hugh Johnson. Congratulations!

Exams will soon be over and a new semester will be starting. Graduation doesn't look so far in the future any more. Best wishes to all our sisters.

*Bennie Norwood*

## ALPHA DELTA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

### *Hi L.K.S. Sisters!*

Since the last writing we have 13 pledges as of November 10. After the ceremony we had coffee and dessert at the Golden Apples Room at the Tower Hotel. The pledges are being very good but mischievous. For our Christmas party they did a takeoff on "Twas The Night Before Christmas" and also a skit comparing a good and bad pharmacist helping Christmas Eve shoppers. They were really original in their ideas!!

Those of us who attended the Midwestern Regional Meeting were very pleased to have had the opportunity to meet the Grand Council Members. The whole convention was a wonderful experience!

A fascinating panel discussion took place on December 12 at our joint meeting with the fraternity. It consisted of three pharmacy students — one from Germany, one from Liberia, and one from Jordan. They discussed all aspects of pharmacy in their respective countries and it was very interesting and enlightening.

All the Alpha Deltas are now working hard for our Apothecary Ball slated for March 14.

Here's hoping finals weren't too rough on you, gals, and hope this will be a successful semester. Good luck to all!

*Elaine Grosso*

### ALPHA EPSILON COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Greetings from Alpha Epsilon:*

After a very enjoyable Christmas vacation, we are beginning what we hope will be a most successful year.

Eight girls entered school this term. We are very happy to say that they have all pledged Lambda Kappa Sigma!

We had our annual Christmas party in our pharmacy lounge. Each of us brought toys, which we donated to the children's ward of John Gastan Hospital.

Congratulations are in order for Jeanne Turner, who changed her name to Mrs. Hanneycutt this summer and for Martha Jane Dixon, '57 graduate, who is now Mrs. John Motheral.

We have started working on one of our money-making projects. We are now selling tickets on a polaroid land camera.

Best wishes to all for the New Year.

*Betty Knipp*

### ALPHA ZETA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hello to all from Alpha Zeta:*

May the coming year bring only good health and good luck to all of you.



*First row — Merle Carson, Peggy Geane, Silvana Sterbini. Second row — Lois Thompson, Diane Braner, Naomi Holland. Third row — Gail Schifferdecker, Marie Kassing.*

Our fall semester has been so busy. The last activity of the year was a Christmas party to which we invited the alumnae and the new girls. We subjected them to a preview of the act that the sorority presented the next day at the school Christmas party.

Plans for our Valentine Dance proved very successful. This year we did something different in the way of entertainment. Instead of hiring professional talent, we struck a bargain with Kappa Psi Fraternity. In return for some financial aid for one of their pet projects, they prepared the skit for our dance.

Active pledging started February 1. We have four wonderful candidates.

The school is making arrangements for some of the Juniors and seniors to attend the A. Ph. A. Convention in April. Maybe we can get together with some of our Sorority sisters of the other chapters.

Bye for now!

*Lois Thompson*

### ALPHA THETA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hi from Alpha Theta:*

We, at the University of Buffalo, have had a busy fall semester. After a series of three pledge parties, we pledged four girls; they are Sandy Caldwell, Linda Dorn, Rose Quagliana and Phyllis Wickes.

In October, our president, Mary Ann Janiga and three other members went to the Eastern Regional Convention in Philadelphia. They had a very profitable time.

On Founders' Day we wore gold and blue carnations and on the preceding Sunday held a formal tea and traditional Founders' Day ceremony at Rose Marie and Marge Crimaldi's.

We held a very successful pre-Christmas raffle with prizes of a Sylvania clock radio and a flash camera. The winning tickets were drawn at the Annual Pharmacy Student Council Christmas Dance.

The pledges entertained us with a Christmas Party held at Mrs. Lord's home. Mrs. Lord is our advisor.

As a long range pecuniary project, we are filling 100,000 lactose capsules for Roswell Park Research Center here in Buffalo.

We sign off with a wish for the best of luck in this New Year and will be waiting to hear from all of you.

*Nancy Finch*

### ALPHA IOTA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hi Lambs!*

Hosting the Midwestern Regional was a wonderful experience. Fifteen delegates from seven chapters in 4 states attended. Was a special for the newer Lambs to meet and know the Grand Officers who attended. Was also a wonderful feeling to realize the strong bond, a sorority bond, with a girl many miles away. Was certainly a pleasure never to forget.

We started the holiday season early with a Christmas party with our brother fraternity, Phi Delta Chi. We went caroling first, stopping specifically at Dean and Mrs. Claus' penthouse apartment for a new winter treat: hot cider, which certainly hit the spot. Final stop was at President and Mrs. Spathelf's home. We sang harmony with the President, met his family, and then he gave us an extra half hour to stay out. We had exchanged names with the Phi Delt's and the gifts were something to see. The party was a success and started the season on a happy note.

We again took part in the annual Christmas party for the underprivileged children in the Big Rapids area.

Mrs. McKenna, our advisor, brought us a wonderful fund raising project. Under the co-chairmanship of Marion Stroh and Maxine La Tocha we sold cashew candy in decorated tins and they went like hot cakes. More orders than candy. We're reordering for the third time.

Brought back an idea from the convention and it came in handy for National Pharmacy Week. Our sorors at Drake University had made a large map of the United States and had pinpointed the chapters of Lambda Kappa Sigma. We used the same kind of a display in our model pharmacy window for the week. Thank you.

It seems as tho' that long winter's rest we spoke of last time will have to be postponed. Here's a few reasons why:

Our winter term's rush party was held January 13 with 15 prospective pledges attending. Pledging started January 20.

We've planned a homemade fudge sale for the Monday before Valentines Day.

Plans are about to begin for the annual organization talent show on campus: Kampus Kapers. We've placed in the four years that we've been in the show. Wish us luck.

A. Ph. A. convention at Purdue is coming soon.

Speaking of conventions . . . we've received word that past president Mary Ryan, now working in Chicago is engaged to a fellow she met at one of the conventions. Congratulations and best wishes.

Congrats are also in order for Jo Thomas who is engaged to Jerry Dunsmore. Jerry is a Phi Delta Chi member and a '56 Ferris graduate.

President Jacquy VandenHeuvel has brought honor to herself and us by being nominated to Who's Who.

As you can see, we've all been busy and will continue to be so especially with pledging.

Best wishes that the rest of the year will be most profitable.

*Wyne Halpin*

## ALPHA LAMBDA COLLEGIATE CHAPTER

*Hi Sorors!*

All of us here at Alpha Lambda hope that all of you had a happy New Year.

To start the events rolling in the new year we held an impressive initiation ceremony which was conducted in a candle lit room. The vows were taken by Gail Bellward and Catriona Dawnie. We were very happy to receive Mrs. Mezei into our fold as an Honorary member. The new Lambs were presented with corsages made by Jean Chong.

During the ceremony a sea of wax formed in the triangle. This was the last time that we will use the candles received from the Chi Alumnae Chapter at our installation. In order to obtain the new candles we have carried on a project of manufacturing coffee.

A banquet was held in honor of the initiates, attended by distinguished guests, alumnae and collegiate members. Mr. D. A. Denholm, the registrar of the British Columbia Pharmaceutical Association was the guest speaker. A formal dance highlighted the evening. Everyone had a grand time. With such a starter for the year we are all looking forward to coming events.

Thanks for listening and good luck in all your activities from your Canadian sisters.

*Janina Runcewicz*

## ALPHA ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Alpha Alumnae Chapter sends greetings for the New Year and wishes to thank all for their Christmas cards.

We held our Christmas party at the home of our president. It turned out to be a very stormy night but fifteen members braved the storm and attended.

In February at the Boston Area P.P.A. meeting Priscilla Cutler will conduct a Round Table Forum. Elsie Gasseraro is the chairman for the meeting.

Some of the actives and most of the alumnae chapter are going to Lederle's laboratories in New York for a trip through their laboratories and a pleasant week-end.

Fraternally,

*Ruth D. Flaherty*

## GAMMA ALUMNAE CHAPTER

*Hi Gals —*

Many plans are waiting to be fulfilled with the coming of the New Year. With our *Very* active Collegiate Chapter working so industrially all the time, we Alumnae will have plenty to do to keep up with them.

During the last year they helped participate in the Founders Day Program and have attended several of our meetings in order to promote joint projects. It is grand to see such enthusiasm and cooperation on everyone's part.

Many long-lost members came out for our Annual Christmas Party. We celebrated by going to see "My Fair Lady." Need I say more? It was terrific. Before the play we "stuffed" ourselves with food at the Victorian Room at the Palmer House. I think we all agreed the food and service were fit for a "queen." The beef actually melted in your mouth.

We were proud to hear Ann Nugent is training to be an Assistant Manager in Walgreen Store at "Old Orchard Place." Congratulations Ann, the future looks wonderful for you.

Did you know that Wanda Jagodzinski is living in Dallas, Texas? Be careful of those cowboys, Wanda.

Both Nancy Ann Eisenbart and Sherlaine Staach, recent graduates divided top honors in the 1957 Pharmacy Class. Both are now employed at the University of Illinois.

La Verne Goudas has entered the "Blessed State of Matrimony." Best wishes to you.

Dr. George L. Webster has been appointed the Dean of the College of Pharmacy. He, formerly, was the Head of the Department of Chemistry. We hope he will be very successful in this new venture and I am sure the College will benefit by his leadership.

Our Alumnae Chapter has undertaken a new charity project at the Cook County Hospital and hope it will be successful. The needs are many and with the cooperation of all our members we hope to aid in the purchasing of wheel chairs and articles for needy patients. Any suggestions for this project will be gladly accepted, so that we may really aid those in need.

*Lorraine Gibbens*

## EPSILON ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Greetings from Epsilon Alumnae. We hope all of our sisters had a most enjoyable Christmas Season and that the New Year will be a prosperous one.

We of the alumnae chapter wish to express our sincere gratitude to the collegiate chapter for giving us a most enjoyable party in December. After our joint meeting, the girls provided a cold cut buffet and later we played cards.

Epsilon Alumnae celebrated its seventh birthday by having a dinner at one of Baltimore's restaurants. There were seven members of the alumnae chapter present and we were pleased to have three members of the collegiate chapter.

Congratulation are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Donovan. Mrs. Donovan, the former Miss Dorothy F. Schaech, gave birth to their second baby daughter, Christine Mary.

*Mary W. Connelly*

## TAU ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Tau Alumnae joined with the Collegiates to commemorate Founders Day. We held a charming candlelight ceremony, and wore the white gowns which our Alumnae seamstresses had made. Mary DeOrio showed slides of her wonderful European tour, and inspired us with the idea of a European vacation. Afterward the Alums hosted the snack session.

Jerry Manzione entertained Tau Alums in November. In answer to an appeal for warm Winter clothing from a charitable institution, we decided to donate any Winter clothing we had collected for our forthcoming rummage sale. The institution was most grateful for our contribution.

Since everyone wonders what to do with Christmas cards, and sort of hates to discard them, we decided to put ours to good use. We are sending them overseas to a mission where a pretty picture is a prized possession and the inside sheets are used for writing paper.

Best wishes to all for a Wonderful 1958.

*Jeanne Ivory*

## PHI ALUMNAE CHAPTER

*Greetings from Phi Alumnae!*

Here we go again with another new year before us, but I suppose we had better finish up with the old year first. Way back in October, our president Lucy Kavanagh, Grand president, Imogene Piper and the Midwestern Regional Supervisor Mildred Hull went to the Midwestern Regional Meeting held in Big Rapids, Michigan, with Alpha Iota Chapter as hostess. From the report brought back at our November meeting it was a most successful meeting. The rest of us were sorry we didn't get to attend after hearing about the wonderful time Lucy, Imogene and Millie must of had. Our Grand President also attended the Professional Panhellenic Association meeting, which was held in Chicago on November 1 and 2. (She has really been one busy person.)

December found us as usual in a last minute flurry of getting ready for Christmas along with selling gift wrapping, ribbons and cards. Just in time for Christmas one of our members, Doris Deardorff, gave birth to a baby girl. Congratulations to the proud parent!

We held our annual Pitch-in-supper and Christmas Party on December 19 at the home of Rosie Higgins. We invited as our guest the sophomore, junior and senior girls of the Butler College of Pharmacy. Instead of a gift exchange we donated canned goods and clothing for a needy family. What with so much good food, games and the usual chit-chat going on nothing more needs to be said, as that speaks for itself.

That put us up to the new year and from now on the thing which is going to be upmost in our minds is the forthcoming convention this summer in Seattle.

Phi Alumnae wishes all of you a most successful year.

That's all for this issue.

*Betty Bumb*

## CHI ALUMNAE CHAPTER

These short fall days have been moving swiftly by with convention projects receiving priority rating. However, several of our members took time out from them to travel to Portland for the Western Regional Convention.

We again relaxed from our regular business routine during our December meeting when we held our annual Christmas party, this year at the home of Pat Tanac. But now the holidays are over, and we are looking forward to a new round of activities such as the rummage sale, selling more salad books, committee meetings and of course, plain hard work.

We send our best wishes to everyone for a spring calendar filled with many sorority activities.

*Sylvia Gerness*

## ALPHA ETA ALUMNAE CHAPTER

After a pleasant holiday, we are all ready to resume our busy schedules. Interrupted by the subway strike and two snow storms, we finally held a business meeting at Iris Casson's home. Afterwards we had an enjoyable social. A schedule of activities was made for this year. In a few weeks we will attend a Broadway play, "The Music Man," and after the play arrangements have been made to make our night out very pleasant. Some girls from the collegiate chapter also plan to attend. All in all, we anticipate a busy season. Events we hope to include this year are a family picnic, when the weather warms up, a Chinese auction and a special program for Hygeia day.

A subject of special interest is the unusual article that we are selling. Our chapter is featuring jeweled cosmetic pill box and drinking cup duets. A two in one feature. It is a collapsible, plastic cup with a pill box inside. The outside is attractively jeweled. Made neatly, it fits compactly in handbags. They are reasonably priced and orders are now being taken.

*Adrienne Alexanian*

"Double, double, toil and trouble,  
Fire burn and cauldron bubble"

Alpha Lambda girls manufacturing coffee



*Left to right: Gail Bellward, Margie Wein, Louise Sing, Catriona Downie, Jean Stiff, Janina Runcewicz and Jean Chong*

## Convention News

One of the highlights of your convention vacation in Seattle will be a water tour and salmon barbecue. The boat will leave the city at 3:30 P.M. taking you across Puget Sound and around the north end of Bainbridge Island to Kiana Lodge at Agate Pass. There you will disembark and be free to enjoy the magnificent northwest scenery which will further whet your appetites (already heightened by the cruise) for a delicious meal. This will be a real northwest feast with the true Indian touch. Fresh salmon is barbecued over driftwood fires and served outdoors with a complete Potlach dinner. The homeward trip will begin as the evening darkness falls and you will be treated to a view of the brilliantly lighted Seattle skyline as you approach the dock and the end of another busy convention day.

Fraternally,  
*Marilyn M. Palmer*  
Convention Chairman

## HOW TO GET ALONG WITH PEOPLE

Find out what the other fellow wants. Everybody spends most of his time thinking about himself. Each of us would rather be himself than anyone else.

Don't ever hurt people's self-esteem. Don't go into a place and start criticizing. Find something to praise. Tell people when they do a good job. Show appreciation. If you must find fault, tell about your own mistakes. Always help people "save face."

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Avoid arguments.

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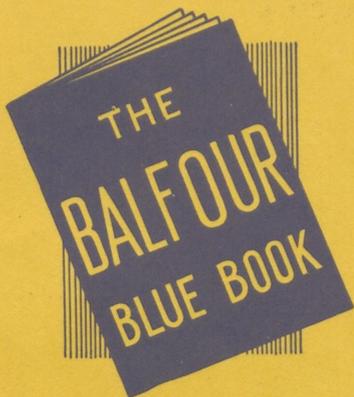
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